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TOPIC Military Activities in Sperenberg and Klausdorf-Rehagen 25X1

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\_\_\_\_\_ This is UNEVALUATED Information 25X1

1. Between 22 and 28 April 1955, the barracks installation on Schumke Lake (3441) near Sperenberg was occupied by approximately 2,600 soldiers wearing black, red-bordered black epaulets and blue-bordered black epaulets. Some 30 amphibious vehicles and 30 track-laying amphibious vehicles were stationed in the camp north of Hege Lake. Many tank trucks and presumably several hundred vehicles, were stored near the forester's house. There was also intensive traffic by tank trucks. A large number of tank trucks reportedly went toward Schoendorf-Linow. Intensive driving practice was observed at the installation. Amphibious vehicles \_\_\_\_\_ were seen. <sup>1</sup> 25X1
2. On 27 April, 9 amphibious vehicles, 10 track-laying amphibious vehicles, 1 signal truck and 3 other trucks were entrained at the Sperenberg railroad station. The vehicles had come from the barracks installation on Schumke Lake. The shipment left toward Justerbog. <sup>2</sup>
3. Between 22 and 28 April, the occupation strength and the number of motor vehicles in the Eisenbahnpionier Kaserne (3381) in Klausdorf-Rehagen decreased. The departure of troops could not be observed. The installation was occupied by an estimated 1,200 to 1,400 soldiers. Eight 85-mm AA guns were seen at the gun parking lot. All other guns had left. \_\_\_\_\_ 25X1

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Comment. The observations confirm the 35th Engr Regt of the Third Gds Mecz Army and the unidentified special unit with amphibious vehicles in Sperenberg until late April.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Comment. According to a previous report, a shipment went from Sperenberg to Tangerhuetten on 23 April. \_\_\_\_\_ 25X1
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Comment. The decrease of the occupation strength in the quarters of the 2d Gds AAA Div can be explained by 2 shipments which left the \_\_\_\_\_ for Wustrow on 24 April. \_\_\_\_\_ 25X1

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